

ing, Section 502 (a), the label statement, "Each Tablet Contains \* \* \* Orchic Substance . . . 0.05 Gram," was misleading since it failed to reveal the material fact that orchic substance possesses no therapeutic activity when taken by mouth.

Further misbranding, Section 502 (e), the product was fabricated from two or more ingredients, and its label failed to bear a statement of the quantity or proportion of strychnine contained in the product; and, Section 502 (f) (2), the label failed to bear adequate warnings against use of the article in those pathological conditions wherein its use may be dangerous to health, and against unsafe duration of administration, since the label failed to warn that, in view of the yohimbine hydrochloride present, it should not be taken by those suffering from heart disease, high blood pressure, or kidney disease; the label also failed to warn that an article containing nux vomica may be dangerous, especially when used by elderly persons; and it also failed to warn that use of a product containing yohimbine hydrochloride should be discontinued if stomach disturbance, nausea, vomiting, vertigo, or fainting occur.

DISPOSITION: August 29, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**1807. Misbranding of Testox Tablets. U. S. v. 129 Bottles and 142 Bottles of Testox Tablets. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 16650. Sample No. 456-H.)**

**LABEL FILED:** June 28, 1945, Northern District of Georgia.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about April 2, 1945, by the Veltex Co., from Birmingham, Ala.

**PRODUCT:** 129 20-tablet bottles and 142 100-tablet bottles of *Testox Tablets* at Atlanta, Ga. Examination of samples showed that the product had the composition declared upon its label.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Textox 20 [or "100"] Tablets Distributed by Copy Boy Sales Co., \* \* \* Atlanta 3, Ga. Each Tablet Contains: Vitamin B<sub>1</sub> . . . 666 U. S. P. Units Yohimbin Hydrochloride . . . 0.0005 Gram Orchic Substance . . . 0.05 Gram Calcium Glycerophosphate . . . 0.15 Gram Sodium Glycerophosphate . . . 0.15 Gram Extract Nux Vomica . . . 0.03 Gram."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the following label statements created the false and misleading impression that the product would be effective as a sex restorer, whereas it would not be effective in producing such a result: "Textox \* \* \* Directions—Take 2 to 3 Tablets depending upon age and severity of case \* \* \* When desired effect is reached discontinue use"; and the label statement, "Each Tablet Contains \* \* \* Orchic Substance . . . 0.05 Gram," was misleading since it failed to reveal the material fact that orchic substance possesses no therapeutic activity when taken by mouth.

Further misbranding, Section 502 (e) (2), the product was a drug fabricated from two or more ingredients, and its label failed to state the quantity of strychnine it contained; Section 502 (f) (2), the label of the product failed to warn that, in view of the presence of yohimbine hydrochloride in the product, it should not be taken by persons suffering from heart disease, high blood pressure, or kidney disease; and the label also failed to warn that an article containing nux vomica might be dangerous, especially when used by elderly persons, and that the use of a product containing yohimbine hydrochloride should be discontinued if stomach disturbance, nausea, vomiting, vertigo, or fainting occur.

DISPOSITION: August 1, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**1808. Misbranding of World's Bitter Tonic. U. S. v. 164 Cartons of World's Bitter Tonic A Laxative and Stomachic Medicine. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 17098. Sample No. 2782-H.)**

**LABEL FILED:** August 8, 1945, District of Maryland.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about April 21 and June 26, 1945, by World's Medicine Co., from Columbus, Ohio.

**PRODUCT:** 164 cartons, each containing 1 bottle, of *World's Bitter Tonic* at Baltimore, Md. Analysis showed that the product consisted essentially of extracts of plant drugs, including laxative plant drugs, strychnine 0.0025 grain per fluid ounce, sugar, saccharin, an iron compound, salicylates, benzoates, alcohol, and water.